



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Jim Ray, Treasurer
Next Century Fund
P.O. Box 99779
Raleigh, NC 27624

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Reference: Mid-Year Report (1/1/99-6/30/99)

Dear Mr. Ray:

This letter is to inform you that as of February 16, 2000, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated January 27, 2000. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

The Commission is in receipt of your 1999 Year End Report on January 31, 2000; however, it does not address the matters in our letter referenced above. If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Scott A. Francis on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson".

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure